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Poland, Hungary, and Other European Satellites:
Total Import Requirements a/* and Import Commitments b/
of Agricultural Commodities
and Implied Capability to Absorb Additional Imports
1956/57

	Thousand Metric Tons		
	<u>Poland</u>	<u>Hungary</u>	<u>Other European Satellites c/</u>
Breadgrains <u>d/</u>			
Import requirements	1,100	460	1,695
Import commitments	-350	-220	-1,445
Capability to absorb additional imports	<u>750</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>250</u>
Feedgrains <u>e/</u>			
Import requirements	N.A.	390	3,380
Import commitments	N.A.	-40	-750
Capability to absorb additional imports	N.A.	<u>350</u>	<u>2,630</u>
Rice			
Import requirements	N.A.	20	220
Import commitments	N.A.	-20	-165
Capability to absorb additional imports	N.A.	<u>0</u>	<u>55</u>

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	Thousand Metric Tons		
	<u>Poland</u>	<u>Hungary</u>	<u>Other European Satellites <u>c/</u></u>
Meat			
Import requirements	60	20	300
Import commitments	0	0	-150
Capability to absorb additional imports	<u>60</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>150</u>
Fats and oils			
Import requirements	55	15	300
Import commitments	-20	0	-205
Capability to absorb additional imports	<u>35</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>95</u>
Dried milk			
Import requirements	30	10	60
Import commitments	0	0	0
Capability to absorb additional imports	<u>30</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>60</u>
Cotton, ginned			
Import requirements	95	30	172
Import commitments	-70	-30 <u>f/</u>	-172 <u>f/</u>
Capability to absorb additional imports	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

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Wool, grease			
Import requirements	20	3	15 <u>g/</u>
Import commitments	-15	-3 <u>f/</u>	-15 <u>f/</u>
Capability to absorb additional imports	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

a. Import requirements represent quantities needed in addition to estimated domestic production to bring about a 10-percent improvement in urban consumption.

b. Import commitments are known or believed to have been made by 30 September 1956. In the case of Poland, import commitments given include 150,000 tons of wheat which the Canadian government is in the process of shipping.

c. Other European Satellites included are Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, East Germany, and Rumania.

d. Wheat and rye.

e. Barley and corn.

f. Import requirements are covered by trade commitments. In light of the high prices of textiles in the Satellites, additional quantities could be absorbed by their economies.

g. Based upon normal imports from the West. Imports from the USSR are not available.

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Poland, Hungary, and Other European Satellites:
Production, Imports, and Exports of Bituminous Coal

	Thousand Metric Tons		
	<u>Poland</u>	<u>Hungary</u>	<u>Other European Satellites ^{a/}</u>
Production	94,500	2,692	25,600
Imports			
USSR	0	0	270
Bloc	0	310	7,845
West	0	0	0
Subtotal	<u>94,500</u>	<u>3,002</u>	<u>33,715</u>
Exports			
USSR	8,200	0	150
Bloc	8,000	0	210
West	8,100	24	219
Subtotal	<u>-24,300</u>	<u>-24</u>	<u>-579</u>
Apparent consumption	<u>70,200</u>	<u>2,978</u>	<u>33,136</u>

a. Other European Satellites included are Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, East Germany, and Rumania.

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Poland, Hungary, and Other European Satellites:
Production, Imports, and Exports of Coke
1955

	Thousand Metric Tons		
	<u>Poland</u>	<u>Hungary</u>	<u>Other European Satellites ^{a/}</u>
Production	10,700	280	18,165
Imports			
USSR	0	280	245
Bloc	0	520	190
West	0	250	190
Subtotal	<u>10,700</u>	<u>1,330</u>	<u>18,790</u>
Exports			
USSR	434	0	0
Bloc	1,605	0	883
West	159	0	203
Subtotal	<u>-2,198</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>-1,086</u>
Apparent consumption	<u>8,502</u>	<u>1,330</u>	<u>17,704</u>

a. Other European Satellites included are Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, East Germany, and Rumania.

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Poland, Hungary, and Other European Satellites:
Production and Imports of Iron Ore
1955

	Thousand Metric Tons ^{a/}		
	Poland	Hungary	Other European Satellites ^{b/}
Domestic production	1,382	240	3,146
Imports			
USSR	3,000	1,000	4,350
Bloc	200	40	125
Others	1,207 ^{c/}	360 ^{d/}	950 ^{e/}
Subtotal	<u>4,407</u>	<u>1,400</u>	<u>5,425</u>
Apparent consumption	<u>5,789</u>	<u>1,640</u>	<u>8,571</u>

a. Tonnages represent 50 percent Fe content.

b. Other European Satellites included are Czechoslovakia, East Germany, and Rumania.

c. Includes 680,000 tons imported from Sweden and 25,000 tons imported from India.

d. Includes Free World shipments plus transshipments from Czechoslovakia and Poland via the USSR.

e. Includes 100,000 tons imported from Sweden, 150,000 tons imported from India, 142,000 tons imported from Finland, 250,000 tons imported from Brazil, and 120,000 tons imported from Chile.

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